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Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**METHOD FOR ALLOWING A CUSTOMER TO OBTAIN A DISCOUNTED PRICE FOR TRANSACTION AND TERMINAL FOR PERFORMING THE METHOD**

and invented by:

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If a CONTINUATION APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 60/230,676

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/219,267

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Enclosed are:

## Application Elements

1. ☒ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
2. ☒ Specification having 35 pages and including the following:
  - a. ☒ Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - b. ☒ Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
  - c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
  - d. ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix (if applicable)
  - e. ☒ Background of the Invention
  - f. ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
  - g. ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
  - h. ☒ Detailed Description
  - i. ☒ Claim(s) as Classified Below
  - j. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure

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3. ☒ Drawing(s) *(when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)*
- a. ☒ Formal                      Number of Sheets      10 (Figs. 1-10)
- b. ☐ Informal                      Number of Sheets      \_\_\_\_\_
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration
- a. ☒ Newly executed *(original or copy)*      ☐ Unexecuted
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) *(for continuation/divisional application only)*
- c. ☒ With Power of Attorney      ☐ Without Power of Attorney
- d. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference *(usable if Box 4b is checked)*  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under  
Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby  
incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ Computer Program in Microfiche *(Appendix)*
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission *(if applicable, all must be included)*
- a. ☐ Paper Copy
- b. ☐ Computer Readable Copy *(identical to computer copy)*
- c. ☐ Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy

**Accompanying Application Parts**

8. ☒ Assignment Papers *(cover sheet & document(s))*
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(B) Statement *(when there is an assignee)*
10. ☐ English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449      ☒ Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☒ Additional Enclosures (please identify below):

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### Fee Calculation and Transmittal

#### CLAIMS AS FILED

For	#Filed	#Allowed	#Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	29	- 20 =	9	x \$18.00	\$162.00
Indep. Claims	6	- 3 =	3	x \$78.00	\$234.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
BASIC FEE					\$690.00
OTHER FEE (specify purpose)					\$0.00
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In addition I hereby claim the benefit of 35 U.S.C. Section 120 of the following United States applications:

Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Status
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/923,683	September 4, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/889,319	July 8, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/707,660	September 4, 1996	Patented
Which is a continuation-in-part of 09/100,684	June 19, 1998	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/982,149	December 1, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/994,426	December 19, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/920,116	August 26, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 08/822,709	March 21, 1997	Pending
Which is a continuation-in-part of 09/526,907	March 16, 2000	Pending
Which claims benefit of provisional 60/143,490	July 12, 1999	
Which is a continuation-in-part of 09/219,267	December 23, 1998	Pending

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Invention: <b>METHOD FOR ALLOWING A CUSTOMER TO OBTAIN A DISCOUNTED PRICE FOR TRANSACTION AND TERMINAL FOR PERFORMING THE METHOD</b>				
<p>I hereby certify that this <u>Utility Patent Application with the Declaration, Assignment and IDS</u> (Identify type of correspondence)</p> <p>is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: The Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on <u>September 28, 2000</u> (Date)</p> <p><u>Nalini P. Sahadeo</u> (Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence)</p> <p><u>Nalini P. Sahadeo</u> (Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence)</p> <p><u>EL510722457US</u> ( "Express Mail" Mailing Label Number)</p>				

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